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ROSES ANNUALS PERENNIALS

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2616 South Sawtelle Boulevard
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To Our Friends and Patrons

IN making up this Catalogue of suggestions for Roses, Annuals, and Perennials, we wish to explain that it in no way represents a complete list of our stock. A personal visit to our five-acre sales yard will readily acquaint you with this fact. Because of the lack of space, we have listed only varieties of the highest merit—stock which will give the best results with a minimum of expense and effort. We are always glad to give our customers the benefit of our experience to aid them in selecting the varieties best suited to their particular situation. Thereby we guard them against mistakes, disappointments, and unnecessary expense.

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New and Distinct Roses

EVERY YEAR we purchase dozens of new roses, which we try out in our own fields. Out of these only a few come up to the high standard of perfection which they must meet before we recommend them to our customers.

In the twelve roses listed in our first collection you will find what we consider the most striking and distinct of the roses. Their colors are typical of the modern thought in art and you are sure to be pleased with the extremely novel and unusual color combinations of the varieties in this group.

The following roses are in stock from January 1st to April 1st. After that they will be established in 1 and 5 gallon containers at slightly higher prices.



J. Otto Thilow

Collection Number 1

CUBA. Per. A rose that is outstanding in color and size. The flowers, though only semi-double, possess a charm and brilliancy which is entirely new. A scintillating vermilion-scarlet overlying an orange background. The bush is a vigorous grower with dark green foliage which makes a splendid foil for the masses of richly colored blooms which are produced in great profusion from early spring until late fall. \$1.00 each.

DORIS DICKSON. Per. Beautifully formed medium size flowers, the base colors of which are a delightful combination of orange-cream, veined and pencilled with brilliant cherry red. The coloring is so unique that it is really impossible to adequately describe it. Very free flowering and extremely fragrant; it is sure to become a favorite. \$1.00 each.

DUCHESS OF ATHOL. Per. A very interesting and delightful color combination of golden-orange, flushed with peach-pink. The flower is very attractive in the bud as well as when in full bloom. The plant is a thrifty grower and continuous bloomer. Awarded the certificate of merit by the National Rose Society of England. \$1.25 each.

FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS. Per. H. T. Long pointed buds which develop into moderately full flowers of orange-apricot. The color is uniform both in bud and flower. Not a very fast grower but very free in its production of bloom. There is no other rose we know of quite this color. \$1.00 each.

J. OTTO THILOW. Per. A noteworthy addition to the already large list of pink roses. Perfect, long pointed buds which open to well expanded flowers, with attractive reflexed petals. The color is a rich glowing rose-pink. It is a strong grower with clean, healthy foliage; a good bloomer and fine garden rose in every respect. \$1.00 each.

LADY MARGARET STEWART. Per. H. T. One of the finest of the new roses, its color is unique. The buds are a deep sunflower yellow, heavily veined and splashed with orange-scarlet, reverse of the petals deeply suffused with carmine. As the flowers develop these

colors blend, forming a beautiful cadmium orange effect. The flowers are full and double with a delightfully sweet fragrance. \$1.00 each.

LADY MARY ELIZABETH. Per. A wonderful new rose of outstanding merit and beauty. Well formed buds are produced on long stiff stems which develop to perfect flowers of carmine pink. They have a very sweet odor and are good for cutting. The plant is a vigorous, upright grower with clean, healthy foliage. It is a prolific bloomer. \$1.00 each.

MARGARET MCGREDY. Per. H. T. A new rose of striking appearance, from the British Isles. The flowers are a rich Turkish-red, which changes as they age to a beautiful carmine-rose. The stems are long and stiff, and the blossoms keep well after cutting. The plant is of thrifty, bushy habit, very free flowering, with light spicy fragrance. There is no other rose quite like it and we are sure it will soon make a name for itself. \$1.25 each.

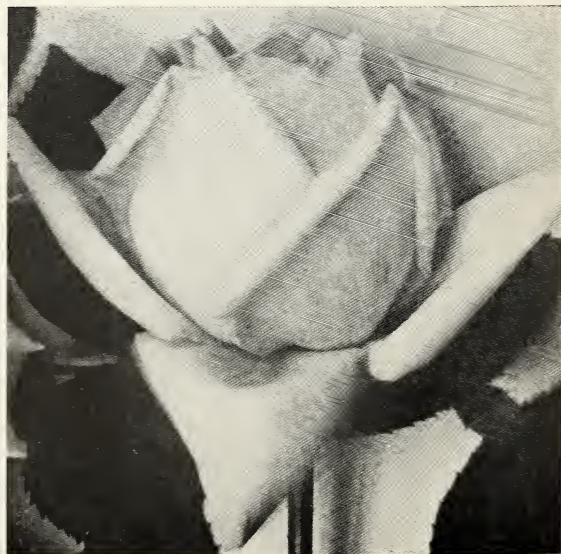
MME. ALBERT BARBIER. H. P. One of the finest of all the roses introduced in the last five years. Its color is a soft, golden-salmon with shadings of flesh-pink and nankeen-yellow. The wonderful coloring and perfect shape are sure to make it very popular. Bush is a strong grower and very free flowering. \$1.00 each.

MONS. JULIAN POTIN. Per. Referred to by some as the Golden Pernet. The most gorgeous and brilliant rose yet introduced. The rich yellow becomes deeper and more intense as the flower ages. The buds are perfect and develop into flowers of perfect form with a delightful perfume. Clean, healthy foliage and a good grower. \$1.25 each.

MRS. ROWENA THOM. A splendid new rose, the color a rich flowing carmine suffused with orange and shading to golden orange at the base of the petals. The buds and flowers are perfectly formed and produced on long stems; unexcelled for cutting. \$2.00 each.

MRS. W. E. NICKERSON. H. T. Long tapering buds of an entrancing color. The exterior of the petals is rich rose-pink shaded with orange cadmium; the lower half of the interior of the petals is a chrome yellow, which passes to a rosy salmon at the top of the petals. A very pleasing color combination. \$1.00 each.

We will supply one each of the preceding twelve varieties amounting at the single rate to \$13.75, for \$12.



Dame Edith Helen

Collection Number 2

In the following collection we offer some of the new roses to which we have added a few older varieties of merit. Roses that are not as well known as they should be, but that have meritorious qualities.

ANGEL FERNET. Per. A new rose of remarkable color. Well formed semi-double flowers of rich brownish-orange. The blossoms are produced on stiff stems; they hold their color well and have some fragrance. The bushes are of medium growth and covered with bright green foliage. 75c each.

BETTY UPRICHARD. H. T. Buds of copper-red, opening to flowers of unusual size; brilliant orange-carmine on outer surface of petals, showing bright salmon reflexes. 75c each.

DAME EDITH HELEN. H. T. Considered the finest pink rose of recent introduction. Flowers of glowing pink, which hold their color well. They are carried on long stiff stems. Has a delightful old rose fragrance. The bush is a vigorous grower, a free bloomer and is mildew and black spot resistant. \$1.00 each.

ETOILE DE HOLLAND. H. T. Brilliant red blossoms of splendid size. The buds are perfect, opening to clean flowers, which do not fade; quite well scented. The bush is a free bloomer and a vigorous grower. 75c each.

LADY FLORENCE STRONG. H. T. Entirely new, distinct and novel color. A reddish-brown to violet old rose shading to yellow at the base, and pink toward the edge. The inner surface of the petals are heavily veined and flushed scarlet; very fragrant. The bush is a vigorous grower and a free bloomer. 75c each.

LADY PIERRE. H. T. Long perfect buds, which open to flowers of clear soft pink; delightful fragrance. One of our best pink roses. 75c each.

MRS. BEATY. H. T. A fine self colored light yellow with a delightful fragrance resembling that of the old Marechal Niel. It is a strong grower with disease proof foliage, a continuous bloomer and destined to be very popular.

MRS. M. C. FORESTIER. H. T. Intense rich red, the flowers are well formed and hold their color well. A valuable addition to the red roses. \$1.00 each.

MRS. LOVELL SWISHER. A wonderful new rose produced by Howard and Smith. Long magnificent buds of salmon pink shading to flesh pink at the outer edges of the petals, which open to perfect flowers of the same color. The plant is a vigorous grower and bears an endless succession of perfect flowers from early spring until late fall. We can not recommend it too highly. 75c each.

PINK PEARL. H. T. Flowers of bright rose-pink shaded red with a salmon base. Sweetly scented full blooms produced in a great abundance. The bush is a vigorous grower. \$1.00 each.

REV. F. PAGE ROBERTS. Not a new rose, but one that has shown up remarkably well. The long pointed buds are of a coppery-red on the outside, and open to beautiful double flowers of a vivid golden-yellow. They have a delightful fragrance. The plant is a strong grower and the foliage is very attractive. Awarded the Gold Medal of the National Rose Society. 75c each.

VILLE DE PARIS. H. S. Sunflower yellow, deeper in the center, and at the base; keeps well without fading. The flowers are large, full and sweetly scented. Oval buds carried on long stiff stems. A vigorous grower covered with good foliage. 75c each.

We will supply one each of the preceding 12 varieties amounting at the single rate to \$10.00 for \$8.00.

Collection Number 3

We can not recommend this collection too highly for general planting. All of the plants listed in this group are extremely hardy and will produce a maximum of cut flowers of high quality.

CONSTANCE. Per. Orange-yellow buds of perfect form, streaked with crimson; developing into a deep golden yellow as they expand. Foliage glossy green, vigorous, free branching and free blooming. 60c each.

DIADEM. H. T. Flowers of deep crimson, heavily overlaid with an orange-crimson sheen, perfect in shape and form. Very sweetly scented. 75c each.

GOLDEN EMBLEM. Per. Long shapely buds of rich yellow; beautifully tinted with crimson on the outer petals, opening to a full, golden yellow flower. Free flowering and sweetly scented. Glossy green foliage, which is free from mildew. 60c each.

HADLEY. H. T. Perfect, well formed buds; flowers large, deep velvety-crimson, retaining their color under all conditions. Excellent fragrance; very free bloomer. Unsurpassed for cutting. 50c each.

H. V. MACHIN. H. T. Well shaped blooms of scarlet-crimson. The plant is a strong grower and free bloomer. An English Gold-Medal Rose. 75c each.

LAURENT CARLE. H. T. Deep rosy-carmine; sweetly scented, a very consistent bloomer. Becoming quite popular. 60c each.

L. C. BRESLAU. Per. Long oval buds of coral red, shaded with chrome-yellow, developing into fragrant globular flowers, which present other novel shades. Plant is an acquisition to this class of roses. 60c each.

LADY HILLINGDON. H. T. Deep, yellow, apricot yellow. Long pointed bud; keeps well after cutting and does not lose its color. Foliage deep green; vigorous grower. One of the best yellow roses. 60c each.

LOS ANGELES. Per. A rose that is beautiful from the opening of the bud until the last petal falls, producing a continuous succession of long stemmed flowers of a luminous flame pink, toned with coral and shading to translucent gold at the base of the petals. The bush is very hardy and the growth is vigorous. Won the Bagatelle Grand Prize. Outsell all other roses. 50c each.

LOLITA ARMOUR. Per. Splendid combination of coral red and copper red; lighted from beneath by an underlying, light orange-flame color. Vigorous grower. Fragrant and free bloomer. Won Bagatelle prize 1921. 60c each.

MRS. C. W. EDWARDS. H. T. Rich rose-scarlet overlaying an orange background; the base of the petals beautifully toned citron-yellow; a novel color combination. The flowers are large, full and very fragrant. 60c each.

MRS. EGAN. An extremely strong and vigorous grower. Long pointed buds of perfect form that develop into flowers of good shape. Two-toned pink, golden line at base of petals. Carried on long stiff stems, and will last in good condition an unusually long time. 60c each.



Ville de Paris

MRS. HENRY BOWLES. Lovely warm rose-pink flushed with soft salmon. The buds and flowers are well shaped, and produced in great abundance the whole year. Becoming more popular each year. 75c each.

MRS. REDFORD. A beautiful new rose of rich bright apricot-orange coloring. The buds are well formed and open to perfect flowers. A strong grower, free bloomer and has mildew-proof foliage. 60c each.

PADRE. An extremely effective rose, rapidly becoming popular. The color, rich copper scarlet, is darker and more intense than that of Mme. Ed. Herriot. The flowers are semi-double, borne on long straight stems on a very erect bush, and while they tend to hang their heads when cut, the remarkable color and freedom of bloom make Padre an exceptionally fine bedding rose. 60c each.

PINK RADIANCE. H. T. Succeeds unusually well in hot summer weather when many other varieties fail. Flowers brilliant, rosy, opaline-pink, large, free, and of beautiful form with sweet fragrance. The plant is vigorous, and disease resistant under all conditions. 50c each.

RED RADIANCE. H. T. A counterpart of Pink Radiance, except in color, which is a glowing crimson. 50c each.

ROSE MARIE. A perfectly formed flower, dark rose pink with beautifully veined petals, and a rich sweet perfume. Exceedingly free bloomer, long stems and foliage which does not mildew. 50c each.

SHOT SILK. The general color effect of this charming rose is a delicate salmon-pink. The petals are often flushed with orange and cerise while the base of the petals are yellow. The bush is low and branching with clean bright green foliage. 75c each.

SOUVENIR DE CLAUDIUS PERNET. Awarded the Bagatelle prize. At present the best yellow rose ever produced. In great demand because of the definite and lovely sunflower-yellow flowers, which retain their color, indoors or outdoors, in bud or when full blown. The plants are of branching habit, with bright, leathery, green foliage. 50c each.

SOUVENIR GEORGES BECHWITH. A variety that is meeting with much favor, flowers very large, globular and very double with petals of good substance. Color shrimp-pink, tinted chrome yellow shading deeper at the base of the petals the various shades blending most harmoniously. 60c each.

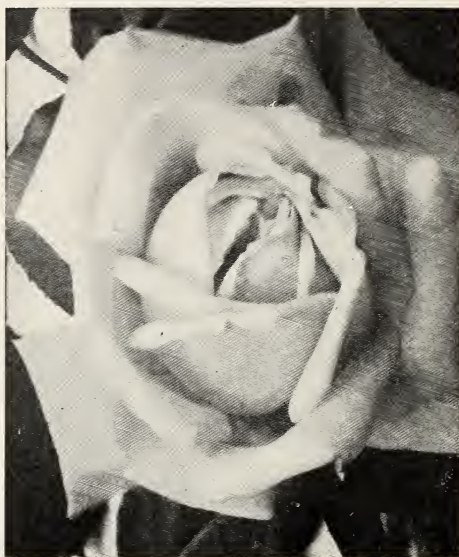
SOUVENIR GEORGES PERNET. Per. A new rose of astonishing size and beauty. Large, beautifully shaped buds of orange-pink. The color of the flowers when in full bloom is oriental-red, with carmen and yellow shadings. The bush is of branching habit; a vigorous grower with bright, shiny green foliage. 50c each.

SUNBURST. H. T. Rich yellow with orange-yellow center. Flowers and buds of perfect form; excellent

for cutting. A vigorous grower and very free bloomer. 50c each.

UNA WALLACE. A beautiful soft, even toned cherry rose, without any other shading. The color is quite distinct from that found in any other rose. It is a very strong grower and a free bloomer; every flower is perfect, and delightfully fragrant. 60c each.

One each of the above 24 varieties for \$11.00, or your choice of any 12 in any combination for \$6.00.



Frau Karl Druschki

Collection Number 4

AMERICAN BEAUTY. H. P. Deep rosy crimson; buds of perfect form, opening to very double, perfect flowers; full of delightful fragrance. The plant is a sturdy, vigorous grower, especially in the warm climate. 50c each.

CECIL BRUNNER. (Pink) Poly. Delicate pink blossoms, tiny buds, perfectly formed, almost continuous bloomer. The plant is very hardy and robust; the best of the baby roses. 40c each.

CRUSADER. H. T. One of the darkest of red roses. Petals curled, buds very double and extremely showy in the garden. The plant is not large, but the foliage is good and is mildew proof. 50c each.

DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON. Intense saffron-yellow, stained with deep crimson. These colors change to deep coppery, saffron-yellow as the flowers unfold. Delightful perfume, and very free flowering. 50c each.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI. H. P. Sometimes called the White American Beauty. Pure white in color. Free flowering, strong grower; the ideal hardy, white rose. 60c each.

GENERAL McARTHUR. H. T. Flowers of warm, rich crimson-scarlet; delightfully fragrant, and one of the finest roses for the garden. Erect branching habit, and very free bloomer. 50c each.

IRISH FIREFLAME. H. T. Beautiful single, long pointed buds of deep orange, opening from spiral points, passing to rich, satiny, old gold, veined with crimson. One of the best of its type. 60c each.

KAISERIN A VICTORIA. H. T. Soft, pearly white, slightly tinted with lemon in the center. Wonderfully scented; beautifully formed buds and flowers on long graceful stems. 60c each.

K. OF K. (Kitchener of Khartoum) H. T. Semi-double rose of dazzling, intense scarlet, of absolutely pure color. Awarded the gold medal at the National Rose Society. 60c each.

LADY ASHTON. H. T. Carmine-pink shading to golden yellow at the base. The blooms are large and full; a good bloomer. 50c each.

MAMON COCHET. T. A very profuse bloomer. The flowers are carmine-pink with a white center, they are large and extremely double. 40c each.



Rose Marie

MME. CAROLINE TESTOUT. H. T. One of the best clear bright satiny pinks; buds of perfect form; flowers large and produced in great profusion. This rose deserves a place in every garden. 50c each.

MME. EDOUARD HERRIOT. Per. Beautiful buds and flowers of rich, coral-red, shaded with coppery-yellow and bright rosy-scarlet. Made famous when it won the London Daily Mail Gold Cup in 1912. 50c each.

MRS. AARON WARD. H. T. Medium size flowers of delicate soft rosy-salmon, borne in a great profusion during the whole season. The bush has a strong, vigorous compact growth. Very popular in the Southland gardens. 50c each.

MRS. CHARLES RUSSELL. H. T. One of the most popular roses for cutting. Large, well-formed flowers of deep rose pink, borne on long, stiff stems. The bush is vigorous and robust. 50c each.

QUEEN ALEXANDER. A brilliant flower of intense vermilion, deeply shaded old gold on reverse of petals, which spring from a pure orange base, one of the most remarkable color combinations seen in roses. The flowers are quite full and when half blown are bewildering in their beauty; delightfully sweet-scented. 60c each.

ULRICH BRUNNER. H. P. Bright cherry red, large and full, with delightful fragrance. Thrifty grower, dark glossy foliage. 50c each.

One each of the above 17 varieties for \$7.00, or your choice of any 12, any combination for \$5.00.

Climbing Roses

BELLE OF PORTUGAL. Beautiful long, graceful buds of dawn pink. The plant is hardy and very vigorous grower. 60c each.

CECIL BRUNNER. One of the strongest climbing roses; flowers identical with the well-known bush variety. 60c each.

CHEROKEE PINK. Is different from the white only in color of the flowers which are bright rose pink. 60c each.

CHEROKEE WHITE. Bright shiny green foliage at all times of the year. Flowers are single and white. Especially good for covering fences. 60c each.

GENERAL McARTHUR. Flowers dark red, equal in color and fragrance to the bush variety. 60c each.

GOLDEN EMBLEM. Unquestionably the finest yellow climber in the west. The flowers are larger than the bush variety, with long shapely buds of rich yellow, beautifully tinted crimson on the outer surface of the petals. Opens to a full golden-yellow flower. The foliage is a bright glossy green and absolutely mildew proof. \$1.00 each.

HADLEY. Flowers dark crimson. One of our best red climbers. 60c each.

HOOSIER BEAUTY. The flowers are an exact duplicate of the bush variety. Bright clean red. The plant is a vigorous grower and prolific bloomer. 50c each.

KAISERIN A VICTORIA. Exquisite buds followed by lovely white flowers of perfect shape. The best white climber. 60c each.

KITTY KINNIMOUTH. A recent introduction from Australia. The flowers are composed of enormous petals of brilliant carmine-pink; they are large and produce very freely. The foliage of this climber is mildew-proof. 75c each.

LADY ASHTON. H. T. As a climber this variety is simply enlarged in its attractiveness, for few pink roses are its equal. 60c each.

CLIMBING LOS ANGELES. H. T. The Los Angeles rose is now one of the most popular bush roses grown. Here is exactly the same rose in a strong vigorous climber. The glorious flame pink color, and the freedom of bloom are just as marked as in the bush variety. 60c each.

MME. CAROLINE TESTOUT. Wonderful, long, graceful buds of dawn pink. The plant is hardy and very vigorous grower. 60c each.

MME. ED. HERRIOT. Buds and flowers of a rich coral-red, shaded with yellow and bright rosy-scarlet. Very stocky vigorous growth. 60c each.

PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER. The brightest red rose grown, the nearest to a pure scarlet; a very strong grower. 60c each.

ROSE MARIE. New rose of remarkable qualities. Deep pink buds of perfect form, borne on long stems. Flowers large, very double, retaining their rich color

during the life of the bloom. We recommend this rose as being the utmost in climbing rose perfection. 75c each.

SUNBURST. Golden yellow; very brilliant bud and free bloomer. Without doubt one of our best yellows. 60c each.

Tree Roses

Standard or tree shaped roses are very ornamental. They also lend an air of formality to the garden in which they are planted.

Our tree roses are all carefully grown and budded with varieties that are particularly well adapted to this type of culture.

Great care has been exercised to use only varieties that are continuous bloomers and which have good foliage.

Established plants in tubs and 5 gallon containers \$2.50 each; \$22.50 per 10.

ANGELE PERNET

HADLEY

LOS ANGELES

RADIANCE

SUNBURST

GENERAL McARTHUR

HOOSIER BEAUTY

MME. ED. HERRIOTT

ROSE MARIE

GOLDEN EMBLEM

K. A. VICTORIA

QUEEN ALEXANDER

SOUV. DE CLAUDIUS PERNET



Brief Cultural Notes

Care should be taken, when planting bare-root roses, to prevent the roots from drying out. Should you receive your roses with roots dry, it is well to soak the whole plant for twenty-four hours before planting.

Roses will do well in almost any soil, provided the soil is reasonably well drained. They should have the benefit of full sun. Never plant in a shady or wet place, as these conditions are sure to cause the plants to mildew.

When planting budded varieties, set the bud union about three inches below the surface of the soil, as this will help materially in eliminating the suckers, which sometimes spring up from the Ragged Robin root stock. Should these suckers appear they can easily be detected by their vigorous growth and should be removed immediately as they retard the growth of the budded part of the rose.

A thorough soaking at the time of planting, followed by a good watering every two weeks is sufficient for the average soil and climatic conditions. After each watering, as soon as the surface has partly dried, the soil should be lightly cultivated to help retain the moisture.

Roses respond readily to fertilization, and a generous covering of well-rotted barnyard manure placed around the bushes two or three times a year, will aid greatly in producing good blossoms.

Do not make the mistake of trying to make your roses bloom every month in the year. They should be given a rest during July and August and this can be accomplished by decreasing the supply of water during these two months. For the best results, the bushes should have a light pruning the first of September and a heavy pruning the first of January.

Mildew on the leaves and stems of the bushes can be controlled by spraying with a lime sulphur solution. Aphids can be disposed of by spraying with a good nicotine and fish-oil solution.

Selected Potted Plants

BEGONIA

Semperflorens

This type we find valuable for bedding, borders and pot culture because of their more or less compact growth and abundance of bloom. They are covered practically the year around with a mass of brilliant flowers, ranging from deepest crimson through the tints of pink and salmon-pink to a delicate pearl. Can be planted in full sun along the coast but must have partial shade in the warm interior valleys.

Sturdy plants in flats, 50c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

Pot plants in flower, 2½-in. pots, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

3-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

Tuberous Root Begonias

For brilliancy of color, size and profusion of bloom few plants can compare with this wonderful plant. For conservatory or summer bedding, they are unequalled.

We can furnish single or double flowering types in red, pink, orange, salmon, and yellow.

4-in. pots, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

5-in. pots, 50c each; \$5.00 per doz.

Cinerarias

It would be difficult to find a flowering pot or bedding plant of more resplendent beauty than the Cineraria. They produce gorgeous panicles of blossoms in the most vivid and striking shades. They are in bloom during the winter and spring months and add much, in the way of color, to the garden at a season when color is most needed.

The plants which we offer for sale are all grown from Howard & Smith's and Henry A. Dreer's finest prize Cineraria seed.

Thrifty plants out of flats (transplanting size)—50c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

Pot plants, 2½-in. pots, \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

Pot plants, 3-in. pots, \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

Price on blooming plants on request.



Gerbera

COLEUS

One of the most beautiful foliage plants grown. Their large gorgeously beautiful leaves make them very valuable for bedding, pot culture, or for borders.

Thrifty plants 3-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

DAHLIAS

From Seed

We have developed a strain of dahlia seed that will produce 80% beautiful double flowers. Many of our plants from seed last year produced flowers 7 to 9 inches across. This was done with only once disbudding, and no additional fertilizer added to soil in which they were grown.

Seed planted March 20 to 30 will bloom in August of the same year.

50 seeds \$1.00.

Plants in pots 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

Gerbera

(Transvaal Daisy)

(Hybrids)

These multicolored daisy-like flowers are very much admired by all who see them. The original bright scarlet form was introduced from South Africa, from which has been developed all the lovely shades of yellow, orange, copper, salmon, pink, and red. The flowers are borne singly on slender, graceful stems, and are ideal for cutting. The plants which we offer are a highly improved strain that produce immense blossoms of clear iridescent colors.

The plants should be set in well-drained soil where they have the benefit of full sun. Care should be exercised at the time of planting not to cover the center (crown) of the plant.

Strong plants from 2½-in. pots, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.

Plants ready to bloom, in 4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

Sturdy field-grown plants in bloom, 50c each; \$5.00 per doz.

GLADIOLUS

Space does not permit our listing the many varieties which we grow.

Two specials of mixed varieties that are priced well under their actual value.

Balanced mixtures of named varieties.

Bulbs 1½ inch and up 50c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

Bulbs 1 inch to 1½ inch 35c per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.

Bulbs ¾ to 1 inch 25c per doz.; \$1.50 per 100.

Special mixture of unnamed varieties that have been exhibited at flower shows and won honorable mention. Large plump bulbs, \$1.00 per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

HEUCHERA

SANGUINEA (Coral Bells)—A most beautiful plant of easy culture, bearing loose, graceful spikes of little bell-shaped flowers of a rosy color. This plant will serve in many capacities; in the rockery, for borders, and in the fern bed. Also desirable as a cut flower. May be grown in full sun or in a semi-shaded position.

Strong plants in 2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

GIANT PANSIES

This year we offer a wonderful new class of Pansies. The plants are produced from a combination of seeds obtained from the four leading Pansy seed growers of the world. We have spared no effort or expense to give our customers the finest Pansies ever produced.

The plants distinguish themselves by their strong and vigorous growth, forming sturdy, compact bushes. Enormous, well-shaped flowers of two and one-half to three and one-half inches in diameter are produced in great abundance throughout the entire season.

The gorgeousness, the luster and richness of color of the flowers are positively beyond description. We recommend them very highly for planting in full sun in beds or for borders.

A well-balanced selection of mixed colors, plants in flower, 50c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

Separate colors, plants in flower, 60c per doz.; \$3.50 per 100.

BRONZE AND YELLOW. **PURPLE.**

BLUE—Dark.

RED—Burgundy.

BLUE—Light.

YELLOW—Golden yellow.

PINK—Rose shades.

STRIPED VARIETIES—Very unique.



Pansy

VIOLA CORNUTA (Dwarf Pansy)

The flowers of this type are not so large as the regular Pansy. However, they are very desirable for bedding, borders, and rockery work, because they are so free-flowering and have such clear colors.

Flowering size plants out of flats, 40c per doz.; \$2.25 per 100.

ROSE QUEEN—Beautiful rose pink.

PAPILLIO—Lilac blue.

G. WERNIG—Violet blue.

SULPHUREA—Sulphur yellow.

PETUNIAS

Our plants may be relied upon as having been grown from the finest strains of seed procurable.

The colors and size of the petunias have been improved to such an extent in the last few years that there are varieties to please us all. They have become one of our most popular annuals. Potted plants ready for delivery February 15th.

Giant Ruffled Large Flowered Varieties

Flesh pink frilled. A very beautiful variety with frilled edges. Flowers 3 to 4 inches across.

Giant Purple. A wonderful broad petaled deep purple type, 4-inch flowers.

Giant Fink Glory. Pure flame rose-pink with strong-ly veined bronze throat. Immense flowers 5 to 7 inches across.

Copper-red. Brilliant terra-cotta rose with bronze throat; very unique color. Flowers very large: 5 to 7 inches across.

Pink Triumph. Large ruffled flowers of bright geranium pink; very fine.

Red with black throat. A very popular variety.

Red and white variegated, one of our best sellers.

Pink Glory. The color is a pure flame-rose pink. Flowers slightly ruffled.

Romany Lass. Clear bright velvety blood-red with purple throat striped in black.

Mauve. Center heavily veined with royal purple.

California Giants. Mixed colors.

Sturdy, thrifty plants of any of the above varieties,

2½-in. pots, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

3-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

4-in. pots, 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.

Dwarf Varieties and Portland Petunias

Rosy Morn. Clear pink with white throat; very fine for bedding.

2½-in. pots, \$1.00 per doz; \$2.50 per 100 in flats.

Elks Pride. Beautiful dark purple.

\$1.00 per doz.; \$2.50 per 100 in flats.

Double Flowering Varieties

From cuttings.

Immense very double flowers from deepest purple through all the gamut of colors to palest pink.

3-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

4-in. pots, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

Double Flowered Varieties from Seed

2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

3-in. pots, 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.

4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

SCABIOSA

SCABIOSA COLUMBERIA. A new hardy perennial from South Africa. This is a very superior form to any of the European types. It blooms continuously and is especially valuable as a winter cut flower. The blossoms are two to two and one-half inches across, borne on long graceful stems, and are a beautiful shade of lavender-pink. They keep well as a cut flower. The foliage is graceful and feathery; the plant itself is hardy, very easily grown, and should have a place in every garden. We consider it one of the most valuable perennial introductions of recent years.

Sturdy plants in 3-in. pots, ready to bloom, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Blooming plants in 4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

SCABIOSA CAUCASICA (Blue Bonnet). A very valuable perennial, second only to Scabiosa Columberia. The flowers are a delicate shade of lavender-blue, produced on long, graceful stems. A very free bloomer.

Sturdy plants in 3-in. pots, ready to bloom, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

Flowering plants in 4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.



Ruffled Giant Petunia

Annuals

We take great pride in the quality of the annuals which we offer. They are all produced from the finest seed it is possible to obtain; carefully selected from the leading flower marts of the world.

These seeds are carefully grown by men who have had long years of experience in growing annuals. They are handled under the most modern and scientific methods known in plant propagation. When you purchase from us you are buying the best.

Thrifty vigorous plants 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

If ordering by mail add 10c per doz., or 25c per 100 for postage and packing.



Asters. Giants of California

AGERATUM BLUE PERFECTION (Floss flower)

This plant is very effective when used for border or bedding. Grows 9 to 12 inches tall and is completely covered with beautiful blue plush-like flowers.

ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon)

Can be supplied in red, pink, copper, crimson, yellow, white, and a well balanced mixture of selected mixed colors.

ASTERS

New giants of California. A highly improved strain of Ostrich Feather type. This is an altogether superior strain surpassing all other types in growth, length of stem, and size of flower; they do not have to be disbudded. Can be supplied in the following colors only, peach pink, rose pink, purple, blue, white, and mixed colors.

50c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

Other types of asters, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

American Beauty. Very fine; in all colors.

King Asters. Popular; in all colors.

Sunshine asters very attractive bright colors.

ARCTOTUS (White African Daisy)

A free flowering annual producing a wealth of daisy-like steel blue flowers, underside of petals pearl-white. Good for cutting.

BALSAM (Ladies Slipper)

An old favorite in the summer garden; covered with bright colored, double flowers.

CALENDULA

(Pot or winter marigold)

Orange King—Orange.

Lemon Queen—Lemon Yellow.

The Ball—Very fine, long stems.

CANDY TUFT

Very popular annual for adding color during the spring and summer months.

CELOSIA CRISTATE (Coxcombe)

Showy sun loving plants very much at home in California.

CENTAUREAS (Sweet Sultan)

Can be furnished in many colors.

C. Cyanus, double cornflower. One of the finest blue annuals in cultivation.

CLARKIA

A delightful annual which produces quantities of pink, salmon, scarlet, and white flowers; excellent for cutting.

COMOS

Too well known to need describing. We have them in all colors, double and single.



Calendula. The Ball



Phlox

DIMORPHATHECA
(African Orange daisy)

One of the best winter blooming annuals; grows about 12 inches high and is covered with bright orange daisy-like flowers.

GODETIA

A very handsome native plant especially suited for semi-shaded locations. The flowers are very fine for cutting.

LARKSPUR

One of the best known garden flowers. In recent years a vast improvement has been effected regarding color, size of bloom, and general habit of the plant. They are excellent for bedding, for lining driveways, and for cutting. They come in many beautiful shades of rose, pink, blue, and white, also a well balanced mixture of colors.

LINUM
Scarlet Flax

LOBELIA

A very desirable plant for border work. Covered with beautiful bright blue flowers.

MARIGOLDS
Tagetes

African and French marigolds are very popular. They are wonderful for summer bedding and furnish an endless supply of very fine cut flowers. Easy in culture. Orange and yellow.

PHLOX DRUMMONDI

A very valuable and attractive annual unexcelled for borders. The plants grow about 12 inches high and are covered with heads of very bright colored flowers.

PORTULACA

(Sun Plant or Rose Morn)

One of our showiest annuals; will grow in any soil if given plenty of sun. The flowers are of richest colors. Fine for massing in beds, for borders, or rock work.

Free Landscape Service

The development of your garden in an artistic manner is important.

Our landscape department will be pleased to offer suggestions and assist you with your problems.

This service is absolutely free. A card or a phone call will bring a man to you.



Solpiglossis

SOLPIGLOSSIS
Large Flowering

These are one of the finest annuals. Plant in good soil in full sun. The plants grow about 30 inches high and produce great quantities of very attractive gloxinia like flowers. They have a wide color range and are excellent for cutting.

SCABIOSA
(Fin cushion flower)

Fine cut flowers, produced in many beautiful colors.

STOCKS

The stock is one of the most popular annuals for bedding or for cutting. For brilliancy of color, fragrance, and duration of bloom it is unsurpassed.

VERBENAS
Mammoth type

Very popular as ground covers. The type we offer has unusually large flowers and brilliant colors. They can be had in pink, white, red, purple, lavender, blue and mixed colors.

ZINNIAS
Giant Dahlia Flowered

When we say giant we mean just that, with flowers from 5 to 7 inches across and in color range that is unsurpassed. We have a reputation for having the finest zinnias in the country and we intend to keep it.

DOUBLE LILLIPUT OR POMPOM ZINNIAS

A type of dwarf zinnia that is gaining in popularity. The bushes are about 15 to 18 inches high and covered with small, very double, extremely brilliant flowers. They keep unusually well and are excellent for table decoration.



Scabiosa



Larkspur



Pompom Zinnia

Hardy Perennial Plants

Each perennial listed in this catalog has been tried out and is particularly well adapted to culture in the south-west. The success of all of the perennials here given will be greatly increased if a good top dressing of peat humus is added twice a year. This will help retain moisture and keep the soil cool; two essentials.



Aquilegia

ALYSSUM SAXATILE CORNPACTUM

Basket of Gold

A beautiful and almost indispensable plant for the rockery or for bordering flower beds. Silver gray foliage, covered in the spring with masses of broad flat heads of bright yellow flowers.

2½-in. pots, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

3-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

ANEMONE JAPONICA

Japanese Windflower

These beautiful perennials are among the most important of the hardy plants. They bloom during the summer and are excellent for cut flowers. They attain a height of 2 to 3 feet.

A. Japonica Alba. Large showy white flowers.

A. Japonica Queen Charlotte. Very large semi-double flowers of La France-pink, a color that is rare among hardy perennials.

Thrifty plants in 3-in. pots, 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.

Larger plants in 4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

AQUILEGIAS or COLUMBINE

One of the most charming and elegant of the hardy plants. We now have them in many colors. They are very easy to grow and make themselves at home under almost any conditions. Blue, yellow, pink, white and mixed colors of long spurred mixed hybrids.

Sturdy plants in flats, 35c per doz; \$2.00 per 100.

3-in. pots, \$1.50 per doz; \$10.00 per 100.

1 gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.00 per doz.

ARMERIA (Sea Pink or Thrift)

Very attractive dwarf plants that do well in any soil. Foliage resembles tufts of grass, from which innumerable flowers appear in dense heads, on stiff stems 5 to 7 inches long. They are rarely ever without bloom.

A. Lauchena. Bright pink flowers.

Plants in flats, 35c per doz; \$1.75 per 100.

Plants in pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

CAMPANULA MEDIUM

Canterbury Bells

One of the grandest of the old time favorites. These beautiful biennials grow to a height of three feet and are covered in the spring and summer with large bell-shaped flowers.

Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells and the single Canterbury Bells in separate or mixed colors:

35c per doz in flats; \$1.75 per 100.

2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

Large plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

CARNATIONS

These lovely flowers are exceptionally successful in California, growing and blooming continually during the entire year.

The plants we offer are from seeds originally of the best European varieties which have been grown and reselected in California.

Chaubauds' everblooming carnations:

Flesh Pink

Crimson

Scarlet

White

Yellow

Mixed colors

Strong plants in flats, 35c per doz; \$1.75 per 100.

2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz; \$10.00 per 100.

CENTAUREAS (Dusty Miller)

C. Candidissima. Silvery white leaves; the plants are much used for borders; 9 inches tall.

Plants in flats, 35c each; \$1.75 per 100.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

COREOPSIS

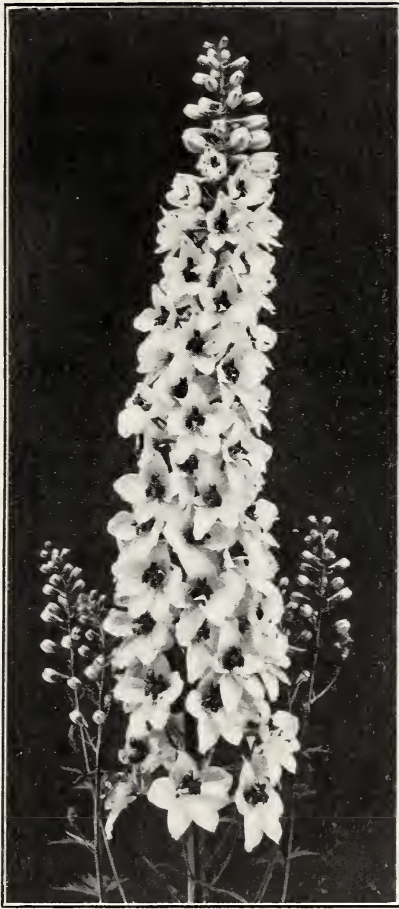
C. Lancelata Grandiflora. One of the finest hardy perennial flowers. Showy, long stemmed, golden-yellow blossoms are abundantly produced and keep very well when cut. Thrive under any conditions and bloom very early in the season. 3 ft. tall.

Thrifty plants in flats, 35c per doz; \$1.75 per 100.

Large plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; 3.50 per dozen.



Coreopsis



Delphinium

DELPHINIUM (Hardy Larkspur)

We offer a very wonderful strain of delphinium hybrids from the following hybridizers: Vanderbilt, Kelsey, Blackmore, Landong and Wrexham. The flowers are very large and have a color range from deepest blue and purple, down to very light blue and pale pink. The plants are of easy culture and thrive in almost any soil. Their preference, however, is for a well drained sunny location. We offer good strong plants in flats at 50c per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.

Plants in 2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

Plants in 4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

Field Clumps 50c each and up.

Belladonna Improved. Very free flowering turquoise blue.

Bellamosum. Same as the above with dark blue flowers.

Strong plants in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

Pot plants, \$1.25 per doz; \$10.00 per 100.

DIANTHUS**Hardy Garden Pinks**

Old favorites, bearing sweet clove scented, double flowers in great profusion in the early summer months. Very fine for edging and for cutting.

Mixed colors in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

DIGITALIS**Foxglove**

The foxgloves, old fashioned, dignified, and stately, are an added feature in any garden. Their strong luxuriant spikes of closely set flowers, produced in many attractive shades dominate the whole garden while in bloom.

Choice selection of mixed colors. Plants in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

Plants in pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, flowering size, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

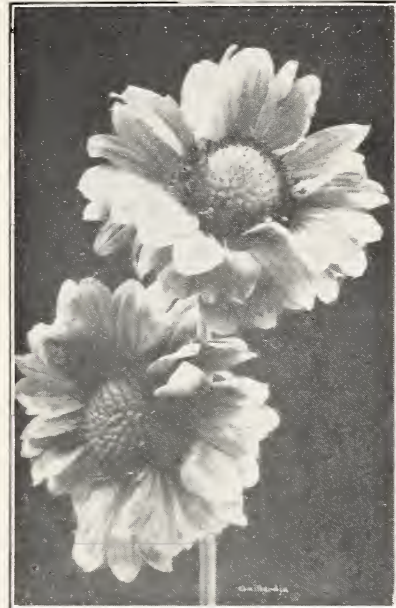
GAILLARDIA**Basket Flower**

These hardy perennials are very effective and valuable as summer flowering plants for borders, bedding and cutting. The center of the flowers are dark red-brown, while the petals are marked with rings of crimson, orange and vermilion.

Plants in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

2½-in. pot plants, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

Blooming size plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.



Gaillardia

GEUM

A hardy perennial border plant that is very attractive and thrives unusually well in California, where it blooms almost the entire season.

Mrs. Bradshaw. Large double scarlet flowers on stems about 18 inches tall.

Lady Stratheden. Counter part of Mrs. Bradshaw except the flowers are yellow.

Thrifty plants in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

2½ pot plants, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

Flowering size plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

HOLLYHOCKS

These stately hardy plants are too well known to need describing. They are indispensable for the old fashioned garden wherever height is desired.

Single and double varieties.

Plants in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

Plants in 2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, flowering size, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

LINUM**Flax**

L. Perenne. A desirable plant for rockery or border 1½ feet tall with attractive graceful foliage and large blue flowers which are produced abundantly all summer.

PAPAVER ORIENTALE**Oriental Poppy**

Hardy plants of easy culture which produce quantities of brilliant flowers during the summer. The colors range from deepest scarlet through the orange-salmon tints to salmon-rose. Very attractive.

Plants in 2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Plants in 4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

Supply limited this year.

PENSTEMON

Highly attractive perennial growing 2 to 3 feet all continuously in bloom; the bushy plants are a mass of spikes closely set with Gloxinia like flowers, in all the shades of red, rose, salmon, lavender and purple.

Mixed colors, plants in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

Flowering size in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

Plants in separate colors in 2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Supply limited this year.



Penstemon

PHYSALIS**Chinese Lantern Plant**

P. Franchetti. An ornamental variety of the winter cherry, forming compact bushes about 2 feet high producing great quantities of bright orange-scarlet lantern-like fruits which can be cut, dried, and used for decorations during the winter.

Sturdy plants in 2-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

PHYSOSTEGIA**False Dragon Head**

P. Virginica. One of our most attractive summer flowering perennials. The bushes which grow to 4 to 5 feet in height produce spikes of delicate pink tubular flowers, which are much like a giant heather.

Sturdy plants in 3-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Large plants in 4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

PYRETHRUM HYBRIDUM

This lovely old fashioned perennial is easy to grow if given good drainage and full sun. Plant and leave undisturbed for several years. Give a good top dressing of well rotted cow manure once a year, and keep the dead flowers picked off and they will bloom from early summer until late autumn. The flowers embrace all the shades from deep red through the pinks to pure white. The foliage is fern-like and attractive at all times.

Plants in flats, 50c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

SALVIA

Brilliant and attractive subjects for summer bedding and border planting, flowering very freely throughout the season. While these plants do best in a sunny location they will succeed in partial shade.

S. Bonfire (Scarlet sage) compact bushy plant 1½ feet tall covered with closely set spikes of fire-scarlet flowers.

Plants in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

In gallon containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

S. Farinacea. Bright light blue flowers. A fine border or bedding plant, 3½ feet high.

Strong plants in 2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

Plants flowering size in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

S. Pitcheri (Blue meadow sage). An extremely hardy variety from Colorado. The flowers of deepest indigo-blue are borne with the greatest profusion on long slender spikes for several months during the summer.

Plants in 3-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

S. Patens Navy Blue. An excellent variety for the perennial border where heavy frost is frequent during the winter months.

3-in. pot plants, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

SANTOLINA

S. Chamocyparissus (sometimes called **Dusty Miller**). A very useful low growing border plant usually clipped in formal style.

Plants in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

SHASTA DAISY**Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum**

S. Alaska. A splendid hardy perennial with flowers of glistening white, frequently 4 to 5 inches across, with broad overlapping petals borne on stiff stems of medium height; ideal for cutting.

Plants in flats, 35c each; \$1.75 per 100.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

RANUNCULUS**Crow-foot Buttercup**

R. Repens. A very pretty double flowering bright yellow variety very fine for rockery or as a ground cover. In flower during the summer.

Plants in 3-in. pots, 15c each; in 4-in. pots, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

STOCHESIA**Cornflower Aster**

A beautifully native plant of easy culture succeeding in any open sunny position. During the summer months large cornflower-blue flowers 4 to 5 inches across are produced in great profusion. It is desirable as a single plant or when planted in beds.

Plants in 3-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

SWEET WILLIAM**Dianthus Barbatus**

A well known old favorite which produces great quantities of showy heads of flowers in bright attractive colors during the spring. A wide range of colors.

Plants in flats, 35c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100.

Plants in 2½-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

THALICTRUM

T. Dipterocarpum. A tall growing very graceful perennial producing freely, elegant sprays of diminutive rosy lilac flowers. Valuable as a cut flower.

Plants in 3-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

TRITONIA**Red-hot Poker**

T. Pfitzeri. A stately plant that will add a world of color to your garden in spring. The leaves of the plant are long and reed-like. The flower spikes are 3 to 4 feet tall. Color, an orange-scarlet shading to yellow. The plant is very attractive around pools or when used with Spanish type of architecture.

Plants in 3-in. pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Plants in 1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

VALERIAN

V. Coccinea. Very hardy. Will grow anywhere. Showy heads of reddish flowers.

2½-in. pots, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

1-gal. containers, 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

VERONICA**Speedwell**

V. Amethystina. Very easy culture, producing beautiful spikes of bright blue flowers during June and July.

Plants in 3-in. pots, 15c each.

Plants in 4-in. pots, 25c each.



HOW *to* REACH *our* NURSERIES

From Los Angeles via Pico Boulevard

Drive out Pico Boulevard to Sawtelle Boulevard and turn to the left two blocks. Our sign is on the corner—look for it.

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Drive out Washington Boulevard through Culver City to Sawtelle Boulevard; turn to the right on Sawtelle Boulevard and drive one and one-half miles to the Nursery.

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